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SUBJECT: HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE: ROMANIA

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L. USG IS CONSIDERING HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO ROMANIA IN LIGHT OF SERIOUS FLOOD SITUATION. US AMBASSADOR IN BUCHAREST HAS DECLARED THAT SITUATION QUOTE CONSTITUS A DISASTER CONDTION IN WHICH USG EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE IS WARRANTED UNQUOTE. DECISION ON EXTENT AND TYPE OF USG ASSISTANCE HAS NOT YET BEEN MADE.

2. WE HAVE NOTED THAT MANY OF THE TYPES OF ASSISTANCE REQUESTED THUS FAR BY THE GOR APPEAR TO BE REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE OF A TYPE NOT NORMALLY ASSOCIAD WITH DISASTER RELIEF. AS THE EXTENT OF THE DISASTER BECOMES CLEARER, HOWEVER, WE WILL REFINE OUR ASSESSMENT OF THE NEEDS AND MAKE A DECISION AS TO WHAT ASSISTANCE SEEMS MOST SUITABLE. AMBASSADOR HAS SUGGESTED THAT EMERGENCY FOOD SUPPLIES AND SHORT-TERM REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE INCLUDING PERHAPS SEEDS MIGHT BE USEFUL.

3. IN ADDITION, WE WILL SERIOUSLY CONSIDER POSSIBILITY O? CREDITS WHICH WOULD ENABLE ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT TO PURCHASE FEEDGRAINS TO MEET NEEDS BROUGHT ABOUT BY DESTRUCTION OF FEEDGRAINS CROPS. WE WILL ADVISE AS DECISIONS ARE MADE. INGERSOLL

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